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ALAN SADHWANI, LAJU SADHWANI, and K. SADHWANI'S INC., a Guam)	DISTRICT COURT CASE NO. CV03-00036	(98)
Corporation,)		
Plaintiff(s),)	SUPERIOR COURT	
Vs.)	CASE NO. CV1560-03	
HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, LTD., a Foreign Corporation, John Doe I through John Doe X,)))		
Defendant(s).) _))		

CLERK'S CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMITTAL

The Clerk of the Superior Court of Guam do hereby transmit to the District Court of Guam;

- 1. Cash Register Transaction, date: 10/21/03.
- 2. Civil Docketing Statement filed 10/21/03.
- 3. Complaint for Damages; Demand for Jury Trial, filed 10/21/03.
- 4. Summons, filed 10/21/03.
- 5. Affidavit of Service, filed 10/22/03.
- 6. Notice, filed 06/19/03.
- 7. Notice to Adverse Parties of Removal of Action to District Court Pursuant to 28 U.S.C.§§ 1441(b), 1446(d) (Diversity Jurisdiction), filed 11/05/03.
- ** Docket Sheet.

DISTRICT COURT CASE NO. CVA03-00036 SUPERIOR COURT CASE NO. CV1560-03

ALAN SADHWANI, LAJU SADHWANI, and K. SADHWANI'S INC., a Guam Corporation, Plaintiffs, Vs. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, LTD., JOHN DOE I through JOHN DOE X, Defendants. Page 2.

Date: February 26, 2004

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February 26, 2004

Mary L. Moran Clerk of Court District Court of Guam 4th Floor, U.S. Courthouse 520 West Soledad Avenue Hagåtña Guam 96910

Re:

District Court Case No. CV03-00036

Superior Court Case No. CV1560-03

Caption:

ALAN SADHWANI, LAJU SADHWANI, and K. SADHWANI'S INC., a Guam Corporation, Plaintiffs, Vs. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, LTD., JOHN DOE I through JOHN DOE X, Defendants.

Dear Ms. Moran,

Transmitted herewith is the record (original file) of the above-entitled case on appeal in the District Court of Guam with the Clerk's Certificate of Transmittal, in reference to the Writ of Certiorari to Superior Court of Guam received on February 12, 2004.

Sincerely,

Richard B. Martinez Acting, Clerk of Court

Superior Court of Guam

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Atty. Joaquin C. Arriola Atty. Jacques A. Bronze

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DISTRICT COURT OF GUAM HAGATNA, GUAM TYPE: STATUS: OPEN STATUS DATE: 10/21/2003 ALAN SADHWANI, LAJU) CASE NO: CV1560-03 SADHWANI, and K.SADHWANI'S INC., a Guam corporation, Plaintiffs, VS. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, LTD., a through JOHN DOE X., Defendants. JUDGE JUDGE STEVEN S. UNPINGCO ATTORNEYS ---------------JOAQUIN C ARRIOLA, ATTORNEY FOR SADHWANI, ALAN JOAQUIN C ARRIOLA, ATTORNEY FOR SADHANI, LAJU JOAOUIN C ARRIOLA, ATTORNEY FOR SADHWANI'S INC., A GUAM CORPORATIO FILING PROCEEDINGS DATE COMMENT 10/21/2003 COMPLAINT FOR DAMAGES 10/21/2003 SUMMONS TO: HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORP FILED BY J.A.BRONZE 10/21/2003 DOCKETING STATEMENT 10/21/2003 CASH REGISTER TRANSACTION BOG CK 17259 50. BOG CHK 17258 65.00 10/21/2003 CASH REGISTER TRANSACTION BOG CK 17259 50. BOG CHK 17258 65.00 10/21/2003 CASH REGISTER TRANSACTION BOG CK 17259 50. BOG CHK 17258 65.00 10/22/2003 AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE RE SUMMS, CMPLT. PLTF'S FIRST SET OF INTERR.... TO FREDERICK GRANILLO, ASST VIP, AT PLACE OF BUSINESS, HONGKONG & SHANGHAI... 10/21/03 AT 1:15PM FILED BY J.C.ARRIOLA 10/24/2003 JUDGE ASSIGNMENT STEVEN S. UNPINGCO JUDGE 10/28/2003 NOTICE TO ARRIOLA COWAN AND ARRIOLA ASSIGNED TO THE HONORABLE STEVEN S. UNPINGCO 11/05/2003 NOTICE

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> NOTICE TO ADVERSE PARTIES OF REMOVAL OF ACTION TO DISTRICT COURT PURSUANT TO 28 U.S.C. 1441(B), 1446(D) (DIVERSITY JURISDICTION) SUBMITTED BY JACQUES A. BRONZE, ESQ.

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foreign corporation, JOHN DOE I)
through JOHN DOE X,)
Defendants.)
)

Plaintiffs complain of Defendants:

- 1. Jurisdiction is vested in this Court pursuant to Section 3105, Title 7, Guam
- Code Annotated, this being an action arising under the laws of Guam.
 - 2. Plaintiffs Alan Sadhwani and Laju Sadhwani are husband and wife, residents

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of Guam for many years. K. Sadhwani's Inc., is a Guam corporation authorized and licensed to do business in Guam. Defendant Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, Ltd., is a foreign corporation licensed and authorized to do banking business in Guam.

- 3. Defendants John Doe I through John Doe X, are the fictitious names of defendants whose true names are unknown to the Plaintiffs, and Plaintiffs ask that when such true names are discovered that this Complaint may be amended by inserting such true names in the place and stead of said fictitious names.
- 4. At all times material herein, Plaintiffs have engaged in the business of acquiring real properties and developing them. They have also engaged in the business of leasing, renting real properties, including offices and other commercial building, and selling electronics, fixtures and appliances. At all times material herein, Defendant Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, Ltd. (hereafter "Bank") was in the business of a full service bank, lending funds to customers, taking mortgages, security instruments and other evidences of indebtedness, and taking deposits.
- 5. Plaintiffs have been for about twenty five (25) years, customers of Defendant Bank, executing and delivering to Defendant Bank evidences of their indebtedness secured by mortgages and other security instruments, and depositing funds in Defendant Bank. Plaintiffs went into business, Tick Tock, in 1978. Mr. Sadhwani met the then Manager of Defendant Bank, in 1978, at a meeting of Rotarians, and since then has banked exclusively

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with Defendant Bank (except for credit card deposits to Citibank, because Defendant Bank, a foreign corporation, did not accept credit card deposits from merchants). All of Plaintiffs' deposits and borrowings, were with Defendant Bank exclusively. Plaintiffs deposited about \$100 million with Defendant Bank during these twenty-five (25) years. At one time, Plaintiffs total obligation to Defendant Bank was \$12 million. Mr. Sadhwani negotiated with Defendant Bank to build their Bank building in Tamuning, thus becoming Defendant Bank's Landlord. In addition to the long-standing relationship, Plaintiffs also had social relationships with the Defendant Bank. The Sadhwanis socialized with Bank Managers (who changed every 3 years) at Mr. Sadhwani's home, at the home of the Bank Managers, or in restaurants. As borrowers, Plaintiffs have paid the Defendant Bank thousands of dollars in interest and fees. By virtue of such long relationship, Plaintiffs placed explicit faith, trust, and confidence in the Defendant Bank, trusting that the Defendant Bank and its officers and employees would deal fairly and honestly with them, the Plaintiffs.

- 6. On November 6, 2002, Plaintiffs and Defendant Bank entered into an agreement entitled "Amendment to Credit Facility/Lease" a copy of which is attached as **Exhibit "A"**. Pursuant to this Agreement, the balance of Plaintiffs' Note to Defendant Bank was \$6,6821,494.56, as of September 27, 2002 (hereafter the "Loan").
- 7. On February 13, 2003, representatives of the Defendant Bank met with Plaintiff Alan Sadhwani (hereafter "Mr. Sadhwani"), and on February 17, 2003, the

Defendant Bank wrote to Mr. Sadhwani purportedly memorializing the discussion which took place on February 13, 2003. A copy of Defendant Bank's letter is attached as **Exhibit** "B".

- 8. On March 5, 2003, Mr. Sadhwani met with representatives of the Defendant Bank at the Defendant Bank's office, at which time representatives of the Defendant Bank informed Mr. Sadhwani that Defendant Bank would give a "hairline discount" if Plaintiffs paid off the Loan. Additionally, said representatives suggested a "friendly foreclosure". Based upon these representations, Mr. Sadhwani was induced to believe that if he found funding for repayment of the Plaintiffs' Loan with Defendant Bank, the Defendant Bank would discount or reduce the balance of the Loan. On the same date, Plaintiffs and Defendant Bank entered into an agreement entitled "Promissory Note Modification Agreement", a copy of which is attached and marked Exhibit " C".
- 9. On March 6, 2003, Defendant Bank wrote to the Plaintiffs again reiterating that the Defendant Bank would consider a discount on the Loan and a "friendly foreclosure". A copy of such letter is attached as **Exhibit "D"**.
- 10. By letter dated March 13, 2003, Defendant Bank reiterated its recommendation for a "friendly foreclosure". A copy of said letter is attached as **Exhibit** "E".
 - 11. By letter dated March 14, 2003, Mr. Sadhwani requested clarification and

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asked for details about the "friendly foreclosure". Additionally, Mr. Sadhwani requested more information about the "discount" which was offered by the Defendant Bank in the March 5, 2003 meeting. A copy of such letter is attached as **Exhibit "F"**.

- 12. By letter dated March 21, 2003, Defendant Bank offered three proposals to work out the Loan: Plaintiffs could sell the mortgaged properties; Plaintiffs could execute deeds in lieu of foreclosure at "negotiated values;" or Plaintiffs could refinance the Loan. Additionally, Defendant Bank assured Plaintiffs that "... Bank is ready, able and willing to assist ..." Plaintiffs in their "... negotiation of replacement financing." A copy of such letter is attached as Exhibit "G".
- 13. Plaintiffs accepted Defendant Bank's first and third proposals. Pursuant to the on-going work out agreement with Defendant Bank, Plaintiffs sought the services of Century 21, to find buyers for the properties subject to the Defendant Bank mortgage. By letter dated April 3, 2003, Century 21 reported on its efforts to sell the properties. A copy of such letter is attached as **Exhibit "H"**.
- 14. By letter dated April 3, 2003, Defendant Bank transmitted a copy of the Promissory Note Modification dated March 5, 2003. A copy of such letter is attached as Exhibit "I".
- 15. By letter dated April 4, 2003, Mr. Sadhwani wrote to Defendant Bank notifying it that he was trying to obtain financing to pay off Plaintiff's Loan, and the

16. On July 18, 2003, Plaintiffs received a document entitled "Notice of Intent to Sell Loan", dated July 15, 2003, a copy of which is attached as **Exhibit "K"**. This Notice came as a total surprise to Plaintiffs, since Defendant Bank assured Mr. Sadhwani that the Plaintiffs had until August 31, 2003, to settle their Loan.

(Exhibit "H"). A copy of such letter is attached and marked **Exhibit "J"**.

17. On July 22. 2003, Mr. Sadhwani telephoned Mr. Underwood. Mr. Underwood came to Mr. Sadhwani's office; when asked again Mr. Underwood declined to name the purchase price for the Loan. Mr. Sadhwani pleaded not to sell the Loan. Mr. Sadhwani asked Mr. Underwood whether the Bank would accept \$3 million for the Loan; Mr. Underwood replied "No." Mr. Sadhwani then said how about \$3.5 million. Mr. Underwood said: "Get me the money or guarantee, and I will try to stop the sale."

attempt to sell the properties to pay off the Loan, enclosing a copy of the Century 21 letter

- 18. On July 31, 2003, Mr. Sadhwani detailed his attempts to settle the Loan. A copy of such letter is attached and marked **Exhibit "L"**. Mr. Sadhwani saw Mr. Underwood and again pleaded not to sell the Loan. Mr. Underwood assured him that if he received the offer [i.e., money or bank letter] by August 8, Mr. Underwood said, "I will see what I can do."
- 19. On August 5, 2003, Mr. Sadhwani obtained terms and conditions for alternative financing from First Hawaiian Bank for \$3.5 million, a copy of which is attached

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and marked **Exhibit "M"**. On the same date, by letter (**Exhibit "N"**) Mr. Sadhwani transmitted the First Hawaiian Bank letter to Defendant Bank.

- 20. On August 11, 2003, Mr. Underwood addressed a letter to Mr. Sadhwani stating: "I am pleased to inform you that on Monday, the 11th of August 2003 your loan was sold to Paradise Marine Corporation." A copy of such letter is attached and marked **Exhibit "O"**.
- 21. Although Plaintiffs requested of the Bank and Paradise Marine Corporation a copy of the Loan purchase agreement, they both refused. Both also refused to divulge the purchase price. Upon information and belief, Plaintiffs allege that the purchase price for the Loan is less than \$3 million.
- 22. Paragraph 1 of the Promissory Note Modification Agreement (Exhibit "C") provides:
- "1. Extension of Maturity Date. The Maturity Date of the Note is hereby extended for a period of time up to and including August 31, 2003. The Lender will review the note every six months, and reserves the right in its sole discretion to call for repayment of principal and interest then outstanding and unpaid. Default on the terms of the Note will supercede this review process, and entitle the Lender to call for immediate repayment of one." (Emphasis added).

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- 23. Plaintiffs fully complied with the payment terms provided in the Amendment to Credit Facility/Lease (Exhibit " A"), i.e., payment of \$51,719 from October 2001 to May 2003, and \$75,000 commencing June 30, 2003.
- 24. Many parcels of real property owned by the Plaintiffs were mortgaged to secure the Loan. These parcels are prime properties on Guam. Several of the buildings are Guam landmarks, e.g., the Tick Tock Building in East Agana; the HSBC Building, Marine Drive, Tamuning; the Deloitte & Touche Building along Marine Drive, Tamuning; and Sateena Mall in Dededo, among others. At one time, these properties were worth much more than \$12 million. At one time, these properties secured a Loan to the Plaintiffs from Defendant Bank in excess of \$12 million. Yet, Defendant Bank, nowithstanding the pleas of the Plaintiffs to give them time within which to obtain other financing in order to buy back their Loan, nonetheless sold the Loan to Paradise Marine Corporation for an amount, according to information and belief, of less than \$3 million, even though Plaintiffs had obtained terms and conditions for alternative financing from First Hawaiian Bank for \$3.5 million.

FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION

BREACH OF COVENANT OF GOOD FAITH AND FAIR DEALING

25. Plaintiffs reallege and incorporate by reference the allegations contained in paragraphs 1 through 24 above as if fully set forth herein.

- 26. Defendant Bank, as a party to the Loan agreement and the work out agreement with plaintiffs, has a duty to deal fairly with Plaintiffs and in good faith.
- 27. In the March 21, 2003 letter (Exhibit "G"), Defendant Bank offered three (3) proposals to work out the Loan: Plaintiffs could sell the mortgaged properties; Plaintiffs could execute deeds in lieu of foreclosure "at negotiated values"; or Plaintiffs could refinance the Loan. On this latter option, Defendant Bank agreed that it was "ready, able and willing to assist your negotiation of replacement financing."
- 28. Plaintiff accepted the first and third proposals offered by Defendant Bank. Relying on these work out proposals, Plaintiffs immediately listed certain properties for sale with Century 21 Realty Management and applied to various banks, including First Hawaiian Bank, to obtain alternative financing. Plaintiffs obtained terms and conditions for alternative financing from First Hawaiian Bank and forwarded such terms and conditions to Defendant Bank on August 5, 2003. Defendant Bank refused to accept such alternative financing and instead sold the Loan to Paradise Marine Corporation on August 11, 2003 for an amount less than the amount Plaintiffs had secured as alternative financing.
- 29. Defendant Bank acted in bad faith and failed to deal fairly with Plaintiffs in refusing to agree to a commercially reasonable work out and in refusing to accept the alternative financing obtained by Plaintiffs.

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30. As a result of Defendant Bank's bad faith and failure to deal fairly with Plaintiffs, Plaintiffs have suffered damages in an amount to be proved at trial.

SECOND CAUSE OF ACTION

INTENTIONAL MISREPRESENTATION

- 31. Plaintiffs reallege and incorporate by reference the allegations contained in paragraphs 1 through 30 above as if fully set forth herein.
- 32. Defendant Bank represented to Plaintiffs that it would give a "hairline discount" on the Loan if Plaintiffs paid off the Loan.
- 33. Defendant Bank also represented to Plaintiffs that it was willing to work out the Loan with Plaintiffs and further represented that Plaintiffs could resolve its indebtedness by accepting the options proposed by Defendant Bank, as detailed in paragraph 27, above.
- 34. In reliance upon Defendant Bank's representations, Plaintiffs were induced to list their properties for sale with Century 21 Commonwealth Realty and to apply for alternative financing with various banks.
- 35. Had the alternative financing offered by First Hawaiian Bank and obtained by Plaintiffs been accepted by Defendant Bank, Plaintiffs would have saved thousands of dollars in interest and loan payments and increased costs, and they would not be required to make the loan payments as required by Paradise Marine Corporation.

- 36. Defendant Bank intentionally misrepresented that it was interested in pursuing a commercially reasonable work out, when it had no desire or intention to work out the Loan.
- 37. As a result of the intentional misrepresentations made by Defendant Bank to Plaintiffs, Plaintiffs have suffered damages in an amount to be proved at trial.

THIRD CAUSE OF ACTION

BREACH OF CONTRACT - PROMISSORY NOTE MODIFICATION

- 38. Plaintiffs reallege and incorporate by reference the allegations contained in paragraphs 1 through 37 above as if fully set forth herein.
- 39. Plaintiffs and Defendant Bank entered into a valid loan contract for the Loan.

 Paragraph 1 of the Promissory Note Modification Agreement (**Exhibit "C"**) provides:

Extension of Maturity Date. The Maturity Date of the Note is hereby extended for a period of time up to and including August 31, 2003. The Lender will review the note every six months, and reserves the right in its sole discretion to call for repayment of principal and interest then outstanding and unpaid. Default on the terms of the Note will supercede this review process, and entitle the Lender to call for immediate repayment of one. (Emphasis added)

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- 40. Plaintiffs fully complied with the payment terms provided in the Amendment to Credit Facility/Lease (Exhibit " A"), i.e., payment of \$51,719 from October 2001 to May 2003, and \$75,000 commencing June 30, 2003. Plaintiffs were not in default of the Loan documents, the Amendment to Credit Facility/Lease, or the Promissory Note Modification Agreement.
- 41. Defendant Bank failed to fulfill the terms of the Promissory Note Modification Agreement to review the Note every six months, in violation of the Promissory Note Modification Agreement.
- 42. In addition, none of the Loan agreements between Plaintiffs and Defendant Bank allow for the sale of the Loan to Paradise Marine Corporation. Defendant Bank breached its Loan agreement with Plaintiffs by selling the Loan to Paradise Marine Corporation.
- 43. As a proximate result of Defendant Bank's breaches of contract, Plaintiffs suffered damages including but not limited to, increased interest payments, increased costs, and other damages in an amount to be proven at trial.

FOURTH CAUSE OF ACTION

BREACH OF CONTRACT - WORK OUT AGREEMENT

44. Plaintiffs reallege and incorporate by reference the allegations contained in paragraphs 1 through 43 above as if fully set forth herein.

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- 45. Plaintiffs and Defendant Bank entered into a valid work out agreement, where Defendant Bank offered proposals to work out the Loan and Plaintiffs accepted two of the proposals. Plaintiffs immediately listed certain properties for sale with Century 21 Realty Management and Plaintiffs obtained terms and conditions for alternative financing from First Hawaiian Bank for alternative financing.
- 46. Defendant Bank failed to assist Plaintiffs' negotiations for replacement financing; refused to accept the replacement financing as detailed in the terms and conditions for alternative financing from First Hawaiian Bank; failed to give a "hairline discount" on the Loan when Plaintiffs obtained the terms and conditions for alternative financing from First Hawaiian Bank; and sold the Loan to Paradise Marine Corporation instead of complying with the parties' work out agreement. All of these acts constitute breaches of the work out agreement.
- 47. As a proximate result of Defendant Bank's breaches of the work out agreement, Plaintiffs suffered damages including but not limited to increased interest payments, increased costs, as well as other damages to be proven at trial.

FIFTH CAUSE OF ACTION

BREACH OF FIDUCIARY DUTY

48. Plaintiffs reallege and incorporate by reference the allegations contained in paragraphs 1 through 47 above as if fully set forth herein.

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- 49. Because of the longstanding, close and confidential relationship between Defendant Bank and Plaintiffs, and by virtue of the trust and confidence which Defendant Bank encouraged Plaintiffs to place in the Bank and which the Plaintiffs did place in the Bank, as well as the assurances that the Bank gave Plaintiffs that it would agree to a commercially reasonable work out, Defendant Bank owed to Plaintiffs a duty of fiduciary care.
- 50. Defendant Bank breached its fiduciary duties owed to Plaintiffs by its acts, including but not limited to the following:
- A. By disclosing confidential information, including but not limited to, account and deposit information, loan payment history, and other banking transactions between Plaintiffs and Defendant Bank, to Paradise Marine Corporation, a non-bank and purchaser of Plaintiffs' Loan with Defendant Bank.
- B. By failing to assist Plaintiffs' negotiations for replacement financing, as Defendant Bank had represented;
- C. By refusing to accept the replacement financing as detailed in the terms and conditions for such financing from First Hawaiian Bank and as required by the parties' work out agreement;
- D. By failing to give a "hairline discount" on Plaintiffs' Loan when Plaintiffs obtained the terms and conditions for alternative financing from First Hawaiian

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Bank.

- E. By selling the Loan to Paradise Marine Corporation, a Guam corporation that is not licensed to conduct banking and has never conducted banking business in Guam.
- 51. As a proximate result of the breaches of fiduciary duty as alleged herein, Plaintiffs have suffered damages, including but not limited to, increased interest payments, increased costs, and other damages in an amount to be proven at trial.
- 52. In doing the acts herein alleged, Defendant Bank acted with oppression, fraud, and malice, and Plaintiffs are therefore entitled to punitive damages.

SIXTH CAUSE OF ACTION

BREACH OF BANKING AND CONFIDENTIALITY LAWS

- 53. Plaintiffs reallege and incorporate by reference the allegations contained in paragraphs 1 through 52 above as if fully set forth herein.
- 54. Defendant Bank is subject to the Banking Laws of the United States and the Banking Laws of Guam. Like other banks doing banking business on Guam, Defendant Bank is governed by laws, rules and regulations relating to the confidentiality of its customers' accounts and transactions. Plaintiffs trusted Defendant Bank to comply with the banking laws, particularly those governing confidentiality of their banking relationship with Defendant Bank and their accounts and transactions with Defendant Bank.

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- 55. The purchaser of Plaintiffs' Loan is Paradise Marine Corporation. Paradise Marine Corporation (hereafter "PMC"), is a Guam corporation, whose primary purpose, according to its Articles of Incorporation, is "to engage in the business of commercial fisheries operation."
- 56. PMC does not now and has never obtained a license to do banking business on Guam; PMC is not now and has never been in the banking business; PMC is not now and has never been subject to the Banking Laws of the United States or the Banking Laws of Guam. PMC is not required to keep confidential any information concerning Plaintiffs' Loan, banking relationship with Defendant Bank, deposit accounts and transactions.
- 57. Absent the consent of the plaintiffs, Defendant Bank expressly or impliedly agreed that it, Defendant Bank, will not divulge to third persons the terms or the state of Plaintiffs' accounts with the Defendant Bank, any of their transactions with Defendant Bank, or any other information about the Plaintiffs acquired by Defendant Bank throughout the 25 years of their banking relationship. The negotiation, sale, assignment, and transfer of Plaintiffs' Loan to PMC constitutes a breach of banking and confidentiality laws by Defendant Bank.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiffs pray judgment against Defendant Bank as follows:

- 1. For compensatory damages according to proof.
- 2. For punitive damages according to proof.

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3. For costs of suit and for such other and further relief as the Court may deem appropriate.

JURY TRIAL DEMAND

Plaintiffs demand a jury trial on all issues so triable.

Dated this 2 day of October, 2003.

ARRIOLA, COWAN & ARRIOLA

Attorney for Plaintiffs

JOAQUIN C. ARRIOLA

AMENDMENT TO CREDIT FACILITY/LEASE

This instrument is made as of this day of MWMBER, 2002, by and among THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION LIMITED, a foreign corporation ("Lender") and K. SADHWANI'S, INC., (the "Borrower"), and ALAN SADHWANI and LAJU SADHWANI, (the "Guarantors").

RECITALS:

- A. Borrower has heretofore executed and delivered in favor of Lender certain banking facilities amended by that certain Workout Agreement dated May 31, 2001 which provided for Borrower's repayment of the original principal amount of SEVEN MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS AND NO CENTS (\$7,500,000.00) (the "Note");
- B. It has been agreed that the Maturity Date of the Note shall be extended for a period of time up to and including December 31, 2002;
- C. It has been agreed that the Lender shall prepay monthly rental payments of \$23,281.00 to Borrower for the period October 2002 through May 2003 which shall be applied to reduce the principal balance of the Note; and
- D. Lender, Borrower and Guarantors have agreed to amend the Note as provided below.

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the premises and of the covenants hereinafter contained, the parties agree as follows:

- 1. <u>Confirmation of Obligations</u>. Borrower does hereby expressly confirm and agree that Borrower is primarily, jointly and severally, liable to Lender under the terms of the Note (as now existing and as herein amended), whether as a maker, guarantor, mortgagor or by way of assumption of liability. All terms of the Note and of any Mortgage securing the Note, and of any other document, instrument or thing arising in connection with the loan contemplated herein, shall continue in full force and effect, except as specifically amended herein.
- 2. <u>Confirmation of Principal Balance</u>. The parties confirm that, as of September 27, 2002, the unpaid principal balance of the Note is the sum of \$6,821,494.56.
- 3. Extension of Maturity Date. The Maturity Date of the Note is hereby extended for a period of time up to and including December 31, 2002. The Lender will review the note every six months, and reserves the right in its sole discretion to call for repayment of principal and interest then outstanding and unpaid. Default on the terms of the Note will supercede this review process, and entitle the Lender to call for immediate repayment of principal and interest then outstanding and unpaid.

Exhibit "A"

- 4. <u>Interest Rate</u>. Interest shall continue to accrue on all unpaid principal balances at the rate of Lender's Base Lending Rate ("BBLR") plus one percent (1.0%).
- 5. Payments. Monthly repayments of accrued principal and interest shall be modified from the existing SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS AND NO CENTS (\$75,000) to the amount of FIFTY-ONE THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED NINETEEN DOLLARS AND NO CENTS (\$51,719.00). The decrease in monthly repayment represents the existing monthly repayment of \$75,000.00 less the monthly rental payment of \$23,281.00. The modified payment shall be payable on the 30th day of each month for the period October 2002 to May 2003. Commencing June 30, 2003, the payments shall increase to the sum of SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS AND NO CENTS (\$75,000.00) per month until the Note is paid in full.
- 6. Satisfaction of Lease. Borrower acknowledges that Lender has prepaid all rents due and payable under the lease dated July 23, 1992, as extended and modified, in the amount of \$186,248.00. Borrower agrees that Lender has performed and satisfied all of the duties and obligations imposed by the lease and is hereby released from any further obligation whatsoever.
- 7. No Waiver. Nothing contained herein shall be construed as a waiver of any right or remedy which Lender may have under the terms of the Note or mortgages or other security instruments securing repayment of the Note.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Borrower, Lender and Additional Borrower have executed these presents on the day and year first above written.

"LENDER"

THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION LIMITED

By:
Name:
Its:

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"BORROWER"

K. SADHWANI'SLINC.

By: Drinhvar |
Name: A SPPHJAP |
Its:

"GUARANTORS"

ALAN SADHWANI

LAJU SADHWANI



Our Ref: GUM CCU 030014

PRIVATE AND CONFIDENTIAL

17 February 2003

K. Sadhwani Inc. 371 South Marine Drive Tamuning, Guam 96911

Attn.: Mr. Alan Sadhwani, President

Re: 13FEB03 Meeting at HSBC Guam Office

Dear Alan,

Thank you for taking time to meet Magnus Montan, Guy Priestley, and myself on February 13, 2003 in the Bank. This letter is to memorialize the discussion, namely:

- 1. We expressed great concern over the prolonged economic depression on Guam, which casts doubt upon your company's ability to meet its financial obligations and specifically its scheduled loan repayments
- 2. We re-emphasized that the Bank is leaving the island, and will not be able to renew or extend the facility when it becomes due for repayment on 31 August 2003; therefore, we encouraged you to take urgent steps to identify how you will repay us on that date
- 3. You agreed to provide the Bank with a written plan to address point 2 above, and meet with us again on 24 February 2003
- 4. You said that you have listed the securing real estate properties for sale with Century 21, and asked them to refer all offers to you. You further suggested that we contact them to discuss progress in finding buyers and other related information

Please sign the acknowledgement below and return it to us at your earliest convenience. We look forward to meeting with you again on 24 February 2003 to discuss your plan.

Sincerely,

Lawrence Zhang

Vice President Credit and Risk Management

cc: Guy Pristley, CEO

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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I acknowledge that the above points are true and correctly reflect the content of our discussion.

Alan Sadhwani

March. 5. R3

PROMISSORY NOTE MODIFICATION AGREEMENT

INSTALLMENT LOAN NO.100023-361

On <u>06 November 2002</u> Borrower executed an Amendment To Credit Facility/Lease (the "Note") in the amount of <u>SEVEN MILLION FIVE HUNDRED</u>

THOUSAND DOLLARS AND NO CENTS (\$7,500,000.00) payable to the order of the Bank. The outstanding balance of the Note as of December 31, 2002 is <u>SIX MILLION</u>

FIVE HUNDRED SEVENTY ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED THREE AND FORTY TWO CENTS (USD6.571,903.42).

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and the covenants herein contained, the parties agree to amend as follows:

1. Extension of Maturity Date. The Maturity Date of the Note is hereby extended for a period of time up to and including August 31, 2003. The Lender will review the note every six months, and reserves the right in its sole discretion to call for repayment of principal and interest then outstanding and unpaid. Default on the terms of the Note will supercede this review process, and entitle the Lender to call for immediate repayment of principal and interest then outstanding and unpaid.

2. Effective date. This Agreement and the regular payment modification provided in 11/6/+>

3. General. The terms, conditions, and covenants of the Note, the guarantees, the security agreement, and all other loan documents which may secure the Note or which may have been executed in relation to the Note or to the loan transaction which the Note evidences remain in full force and effect except as amended by the express terms of this Agreement, and none other.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Modification Agreement the day and date first above written.

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PROMISSORY NOTE MODIFICATION AGREEMENT INSTALLMENT LOAN NO. 100023-361

LENDER:

THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION LIMITED

By: _______

Name: FREDERICK GRANILLO

18: ASSISTANT VICE-PRESIDENT - CREDIT CONTROL

-BORROWER"

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Hame: A.H. SADHLIAN

RESIDENT.

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Our Ref: GUM CCU 030021

PRIVATE AND CONFIDENTIAL

K. Sadhwani Inc. 371 South Marine Drive Tamuning, Guam 96911

Attn.: Mr. Alan Sadhwani, President

Re: 05MAR03 Meeting at HSBC Guam Office

Dear Alan,

Thank you for taking time to meet Guy Priestley, Fred Granillo and myself on March 5, 2003 in the Bank. This letter is to memorialize the discussion, namely:

- 1. You provided the signed Promissory Note Modification Agreement which formally extends the facility to 31 August 2003. We re-emphasized that there will be no further extensions and encouraged you to take urgent steps to identify how you will repay us on that date.
- 2. You did not provide a written plan to repay us on the due date, as you had agreed in the 13 February 2003 meeting. Instead, you reiterated that you have listed the securing real estate properties for sale with Century 21, and that you would accept only reasonable offers. We noted that this is unacceptable in that it is not a written plan, nor did you quantify the term 'reasonable'. We reiterated that we need to know how the loan will be paid off by 31 August 2003 and asked again that you provide a written plan no later than 12 March 2003. You agreed.
- 3. We told you that the Bank is prepared, without in any way committing itself at this stage, to consider a discount on the loan balance if you elect to give the secured properties to the Bank. This "friendly foreclosure" method would transfer the burden of property liquidation to the Bank and minimise legal fees for both parties. If you wish to explore this approach, we ask that you assign a value to the property and submit a written proposal for our consideration.
- 4. You agreed to allow the bank to directly contact Century 21 to discuss progress in finding buyers and other related information.

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06 March 2003

Our Ref: GUM CCU 03 1 06March03 K. Sadhwani Inc.

Please sign the acknowledgement below and return it to us at your earliest convenience. We look forward to receipt of your written plan on 12 March 2003.

Sincerely,

Lawrence Zhang

Vice President - CRM

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I acknowledge that the above points are true and correctly reflect the content of our discussion.

Alan Sadhwani Date

13 March 2003

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The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited

K. Sadhwani's Inc.

Attn: A.H. Sadhwani

Fuc No: 687-1555/646-6917

From Frederick Granillo

Assistant Vice President Credit Control

Fax No: 646-3767

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Message.

Dear Mr. Sadhwani:

The deadline for the requested plan was yesterday as stated in a letter dated 6 March 2003 referenced GUM CCU 030021. Please provide the written plan today, as we have agreed upon, so that we understand how you intend on repaying the loan by the revised maturity date. Please also consider our recommended approach under "friendly foreclosure."

In addition to the above, in review of our files we have noted that the last appraisals done on the mortgaged properties were performed during 2000. As such, given significant market changes, we request that updated appraisals be done on all mortgaged properties to determine the actual current values. We will have Captain and Co. provide an appraisal quotation for your review. The appraisals are to be completed no later than 15 April 2003.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 647-8528.

Regards,

Frederick Granillo

K. Sadhwani's Inc.

Phone 671-649-5948/49/50 • Fax 671-646-6917 • Email ticktock@guamcell.net

March 14 2003

Dear Mr. Granillo

I am working with a bank to pay off our out standing loan with you.

As for friendly foreclosure I do not understand what you want exactly. Please give me more details.

You were talking about discounting, please explain how that will happen.

In future please fax me at 671 649 5938 this is direct fax to my office

Thanking you

Regards

Alan Sadhwani.

Exhibit "F"



Our Ref: GUM CCU 030030

21 March 2003

Mr. Sadhwani c/o K. SADHWANI INC. 371 South Marine Drive Tamuning, Guam 96911

RE: PAYOFF PLAN

Dear Mr. Sadhwani:

We are concerned that you have not taken seriously the Bank's notice to K. Sadhwani Inc. that it will not be able to renew or extend its loan facility when it becomes due for repayment on August 31, 2003. You have previously negotiated an extension of your loan facility and the liquidation of several parcels of real property assets sufficient to reinstate the loan facility not two years ago. In fact, you executed several deeds in lieu of a foreclosure via the private power of sale contained in the mortgages to secure an extension of your loan facility with the bank.

Your recent fax on March 14, 2003 requested the details of a friendly foreclosure. As stated above, I believe that you are familiar with the process that the Bank used to liquidate the real property. It is possible that the bank may accept deeds in lieu of foreclosure at a negotiated release price in order to reduce the balance of your loan facility. This process provides certainty to the winding down of your business and satisfaction of its debt to the Bank. The Bank cannot guarantee that there will not be a resulting deficiency from the liquidation process. However, you have the control and discretion to reduce the exposure to a deficiency to a minimum by negotiating such an agreement.

You represented that you have listed your property with Century 21 Realtors. We request a copy of the listing agreements or a written authorization allowing Century 21 to provide copies to the Bank immediately. If you are able to sell your property at market price and have such listing agreements, the Bank may consider tolling collection efforts pending the closing in escrow of written accepted purchase offers with net proceeds paid to the Bank. The tolling of collection efforts would have to be part of a general liquidation or refinancing agreement. The Bank does not wish to negotiate with you on a parcel by parcel basis.

In the event that you cannot sell the properties through the efforts of Century 21, the Bank may consider accepting deeds in lieu of foreclosure at negotiated values. If you are not willing to negotiate a liquidation agreement, then the Bank may be forced to foreclose via the private power of sale contained in the bank's mortgages. You may assist the Bank in this process by providing interested buyers and cooperate through the foreclosure process. The

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K. Sadhwani Inc. **GUM CCU 030030** Page 2

foreclosure process does, however, add costs, expenses and attorneys' fees to the amount secured by your mortgages and could result in an increased deficiency amount.

If you are seriously making an effort to refinance your loan facility, you may avoid this entire process. We request immediate confirmation of your loan application and efforts to obtaining refinancing. The Bank is ready, able and willing to assist your negotiation of replacement financing.

If you do not respond to this letter with the required information by close of business, April 4, 2003, the Bank will refer this matter to its attorneys at Klemm, Blair, Sterling & Johnson. The firm will contact you thereafter to address the issues in this letter.

I look forward to your response.

Yours sincerely,

Frederick Granillo

Assistant Vice President, Credit Control

Apr-03-2003. 05:07pm

Realty Management Company

MANAGEMENT

P.O. Box 7988 Tamuning, GU 96931 Website: www.guamproperties.com Email: remco@ite.net Business (671) 647-5003 Fax (671) 646-6604

> Alan Sadwani Ai's Mechanical Tamuning, Guam

April 3, 2003

Via Fax. 649-5938

Dear Alan,

As per our phone conversation I am writing you with an update of our marketing efforts for your commercial buildings located on marine Drive (Old HSBC office building, Old Guam Marketing building/Deloitte & Touche Building). The buildings have been shown to a number of prospective buyers and tenants. We have presented the building to such tenants as GWA, DEDCA, Fire Department, Revenue & Taxation, PSA, Metro Bank, Camacho Family (for their lending institution, Community First, Sony and other prospective tenants. To date the strongest interest is PSA if we can work out the parking /area situation

On the selling side I have shown the buildings to an investment group from Korea, and Mr & Mrs. Fang The Korean group have left island and plan to return Mid April with their decision. It is my understanding they are an electronic firm who have sold some property here on Guam and are trying to re-invest it to income producing property. The Fang's also were interested in doing a 1031 type exchange to income producing properties here in Guam. I have not heard from them in a while but I will contact them this week to se if there is interest in their making an offer. They seemed very serious after inspecting all three of the buildings.

I hope this brings you up to date on our marketing efforts. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerel

Christopher Felix CPM CIPS

President

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April 4 2003

Mr. Granillo The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited Post office Box 27-C Hagatna Guam 96932

Dear Mr. Granillo,

In my previous letter I have mentioned to you that I am trying to get financing to pay my Outstanding loan with HSBC. I have not received confirmation on my loan as of today. Hope to receive shortly.

I am working with Realty Management to sell the properties to pay off the loan.

If I am unsuccessful then I will hand over to you certain properties.

Please give me sometime, I will work with you to satisfy outstanding loan

Thanking you

Alan Sadhwani

Incl: letter from Century 21 (Chris Felix)

Exhibit "J"



PRIVATE AND CONFIDENTIAL

15th July 2003

K. Sadhwani Inc. 371 South Marine Drive Tamuning, Guam 96911

Attn.: Mr. Alan Sadhwani, President

Dear Alan,

NOTICE OF INTENT TO SELL LOAN

Notice is hereby given that the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited ("HSBC") has entered into a loan purchase agreement with Paradise Marine Corporation (the "Buyer") whereby HSBC has agreed to sell, transfer and assign to the Buyer all of HSBC's right, title and interest in and to HSBC's loan with K. Sadwani Inc., including all mortgages, security agreements, promissory notes and any investments securing such loan, and together with any liens, security interests, charges and other rights related thereto (the "Loan") provided the Buyer complies with the requirements of the agreement upon closing. The Closing for the sale is currently scheduled for 11th August 2003 or such other date as agreed by the parties. Should the Closing occur, the Buyer shall be a party to the Loan and any related loan documents and HSBC shall be absolutely released from any obligation, covenants, and agreements under said Loan and any related loan documents. Further, in the event that the Closing shall occur, you will receive further notice regarding the manner in which all further loan payments shall be paid.

Yours faithfully,

I.C.Underwood

Manager Guam.

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K.Sadhwani's Inc.

371 South Marine Dr. Tamuning Guam 96913-3911 Phone 671 649-5948

HSBC P.O.Box 27-C Hagatna Guam

Dear Mr. Underwood

You gave me until today to propose a repayment plan for the loans with you. Your letter dated 15 2003 I Received on July 18 03. You gave me a Notice of Intent to sell loan. I want to assure that I have been working hard to repay the debt to you. The decision by the bank to sell the loan has opened up new possibilities for us to settle the debt. However 12 days has proved to be too short a time for me to put together an offer to settle the debt. Since it is summer time many of the bank managers with whom I am negotiating are away from their offices. While they have verbally assured me that they will be able to make substantial funds available, they cannot give a commitment in this short a time. I am sure that that you better then anyone

Understands the way banks work. Therefore I am asking that you postpone the sale of the loan for thirty days and that you give me until August 31, 2003 to make you an offer.

I realize that the bank wishes to settle this matter. I promise you that I want to settle it as well. The bank and I have had twenty five [25] years of mutually profitable relationship and I have never defaulted on any of my obligations to the bank. I recognize that the bank must make business decisions in its best interest, but I hope that by granting this last extension of thirty days will allow us to end our business relationship on Good terms. If not ,then will be forced to consider other options.

Yours, Truly

Alan Sadhwan

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First Hawaiian Bank Guam Business Banking Center 400 Route 8 Mongmong, Guam 96910-2010

August 5, 2003

Mr. Alan Sadhwani, President K. Sadhwani's, Inc. 371 South Marine Drive Tamuning, Guam 96913

Loan for \$3,500,000

Dear Mr. Sadhwani:

First Hawaiian Bank (the "Bank") is pleased to provide the following indication of the terms and conditions for a new term. This letter shall not be construed as a commitment on the part of the Bank, and is only provided for indication purposes only. A commitment, should one be issued, shall be subject to modification and formal approval from the officers of the Bank, and would be in accordance with the Bank's normal underwriting standards.

The Loan will be made to K. Sadhwani's, Inc., a Guam corporation, (the "Borrower"), subject to the following terms and conditions:

TERMS

Loan Amount:

\$3,500,000

Interest Rate Prior to Maturity:

OPTION I

Prevailing three-year fixed rate fixed for the first three years of the loan, adjusted every three years thereafter to prevailing (currently 5.75%).

OPTION II

Prevailing five-year fixed rate fixed for the first five years of the loan, adjusted every five years thereafter to prevailing (currently 6.75%).

Required Payments:

OPTION I

Principal amortized over 15 years with monthly payments of interest and principal of approximately \$29,064.35 which would amortize the Loan over a period of 15 years. Term: 9 years.

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OPTION II

Principal amortized over 15 years with monthly payments of interest and principal of approximately \$30,971.83 which would amortize the Loan over a period of 15 years. Term: 10 years.

Loan Fee:

1.50% of the total loan amount or \$52,500 due upon acceptance of the commitment letter, should one be issued.

Property:

- 1) First mortgage over the leased fee interest and Assignment of Rental Income on commercial property containing 2,482+/- square meters described as Lots 2141-1-1-R1 and 2141-1-3NEW, Tamuning, improved with a three-story commercial building known as the Sharp Plaza.
- 2) First leasehold mortgage and Assignment of Rental Income on a two-acre leasehold parcel described as Lot 2, Tract 217, Dededo, improved with three one-story commercial and buildings known as the Sateena Mall.
- 3) First fee simple mortgage and Assignment of Rental Income on commercial property containing 1,549.77+/- square meters described as Lots 2023-2-1-1, 2023-2-1-R1, and 2025-4, Tamuning, Guam (Tick Tock Building)
- 4) First fee simple mortgage and Assignment of Rental Income on commercial property containing 3,195.96+/- square meters described as Lot 2104-6NEW, Tamuning improved with a commercial building (HSBC Building)

Personal continuing guarantee of all individuals who retains 25% ownership of K. Sadhwani's, Inc., namely Mr. Ashok (Alan) Sadhwani and Mrs. Laju Sadhwani (collectively the "Guarantors").

tions:

1) The Guarantors shall submit annual personal financial statements within 30 days after each

Guarantees:

Loan Conditions:

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year end, and personal income tax returns within 15 days of filing..

- 2) Borrower shall submit CPA Audited financial statements annually within 120 days from the end of its fiscal period.
- The Borrower shall submit CPA-prepared Corporate Income Tax returns within 15 days of filing.
- 4) The Borrower shall submit, upon request, interim financial statements prepared by the Borrower.
- 5) The Borrower shall submit annual company prepared rent rolls and operating statements within 30 days of each fiscal year end.
- 6) Loan is subject to the Bank's receipt and satisfactory review of the Borrower's and Lender's Hazardous Waste Report Questionnaires.

Maximum Loan to Value Ratio:

60%

Interest Rate After
Maturity or Default:

Four percentage points (4%) higher than the higher of (i) the rate which would be charged in absence of default or (ii) the Bank's prime rate, fluctuating with prime.

CONDITIONS

- 1. <u>Security</u>. The Loan shall be secured by:
- (a) A mortgage (the "Mortgage"), constituting (i) a first lien upon the Borrower's estate in the Property together with all buildings, fixtures, equipment and appurtenant improvements comprising the Improvements, (ii) a first security interest in all fixtures, furniture, furnishings, equipment, appliances and any other personal property now owned or hereafter acquired by the Borrower and situated on the Property, and (iii) an assignment

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of rentals. (The property subject to the Mortgage is hereafter referred to as the "Mortgaged Property".)

- (b) A security agreement ("Security Agreement"), granting to the Bank a first security interest in certain collateral (the "Collateral"), including, but not limited to, (i) all contracts, permits and authorizations, respecting the management and operation of the Improvements, and (ii) all furniture, furnishings, equipment, appliances and other personal property owned by the Borrower and incorporated in the Improvements or located on the Property.
- (c) A financing statement (the "Financing Statement") to perfect the first security interest of the Bank in certain of the Mortgaged Property and in the Collateral.
- (d) A separate assignment of rentals and lessor's interest in leases (the "Assignment of Rentals"), assigning to the Bank all rentals and rights of the Borrower as lessor under the Tenant Leases.
- 5. <u>Escrow.</u> At least 30 days prior to the Closing Date, the Borrower shall select and inform the Bank of the name of the escrow company which will process the payoff of any loans currently secured by the Property. The escrow company shall, at the Borrower's cost and expense, provide the Bank with copies of any documents which the Bank may require for preparation of the Loan documents.
- 6. Optional Prepayment. Provided that a minimum of three (3) business day's notice is given to the Bank, the Borrower shall have the option to prepay principal on any monthly payment date and shall be subject to a prepayment charge equal to the product of (A) the prepayment multiplied by or (B) a percentage equal to the number of years (in whole numbers rounded upwards) from the date of prepayment to the next adjustment date; in any event, the prepayment charge shall be no less than 1%.

Until the Loan is paid in full (principal and interest), no optional prepayment pursuant to this paragraph 6 shall be credited to or relieve the Borrower to any extent from its obligation thereafter to pay the monthly installments in the amount required by this commitment.

- 7. <u>Additional Closing Requirements</u>. The Borrower shall furnish to the Bank on or before the Closing Date the following:
 - (a) (i) A copy of the Articles of Organization of the company and By-Laws certified by the Department of Revenue and Taxation of the Government of Guam.
 - (ii) A certificate of good standing issued by the Department of Revenue and Taxation of the Government of Guam.

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(b) Title Insurance; Chattel Lien Report.

- (i) A policy of title insurance, together with such endorsements and reinsurance as the Bank may require (such policy, endorsements and reinsurance being hereinafter referred to as the "Title Policy") issued by any title company authorized to do business in the Territory of Guam and approved by the Bank, in the amount of the Loan, insuring that the Mortgage is a valid first lien on the Mortgaged Property, free and clear of all defects, liens, encumbrances and exceptions to title whatsoever, except such as the Bank may approve in writing. Without limiting the foregoing, the Title Policy shall effect full coverage, against losses arising out of encroachments against boundary or setback lines, against losses from existing or subsequent mechanics' or materialmen's liens which may gain priority over the Mortgage, and against losses arising out of zoning ordinances and regulations and such other losses with respect to which the Bank may request coverage. The endorsements shall include, without limitation, a CLTA 100 endorsement (or its equivalent), a survey endorsement and an assignment of rents endorsement.
- (ii) A chattel lien report in form UCC-3 completed and certified by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Taxation verifying that a search of the public records has not disclosed any security interest liens or encumbrances against any personal property owned by the Borrower, except the Financing Statement.

(c) Survey (also referred to as an ALTA survey); Certification

- (i) A perimeter survey map, prepared and certified as correct by a registered surveyor, disclosing (A) the location of the perimeter of the Property, (B) all easements and rights-of-way, (C) the lines of the street abutting the Property and the width thereof, (D) the location of the Improvements and their relation by distance to the perimeter of the Property, established setback lines and the street lines and (E) encroachments, if any.
- (d) <u>Appraisal Report</u>. A report prepared by the Bank's Appraisal Department or ordered by the Bank from a recognized real estate appraiser, appraising the fair market value of the Mortgage Property in accordance with the Uniform Standards of Professional Appraisal Practice and applicable Bank regulations resulting in a Loanto-Value ratio of not more than 60%.
- (e) <u>Insurance</u>. Fire and extended coverage insurance, including typhoon insurance, with adequate coinsurance, for the full insurable value of the Improvements, fixtures and equipment, together with flood insurance (if the Improvements are required to be so insured by the Bank's Federal Regulators), and such other insurance customarily required by prudent lenders or required by the Bank.



- (f) Financial Statements. Current financial statements of the Borrower.
- (g) Governmental Authorizations. Evidence satisfactory to the Bank that the construction and the use of the Improvements fully comply with all federal and territorial statutes, laws, ordinances and regulations relating to land use classification, zoning, coastal zone management, subdivision, setback, environmental, ecological and pollution control, and waste product and sewage disposal (or, if such compliance is not necessary, verification that such compliance is not necessary.

(h) Hazardous Materials.

- (i) If requested by the Bank, the Borrower will, at its own cost and expense, furnish to the Bank prior to the Closing Date an environmental inspection report by an independent environmental consultant acceptable to the Bank, identifying and evaluating any existing or potentially hazardous or toxic materials on, under or about the Mortgaged Property. If such report discloses any hazardous or toxic materials in amounts or of a nature unacceptable to the Bank, the Bank shall have the option of either refusing to fund the Loan or requiring an additional environmental inspection and audit report acceptable to the Bank as a condition to the closing of the Loan.
- (ii) The Mortgage shall contain warranties by the Borrower that the Mortgaged Property and the soil and groundwater thereunder are free of any hazardous or toxic materials. In addition, the Mortgage shall incorporate covenants by the Borrower (A) to keep and maintain the Mortgaged Property, including the soil and ground water thereunder, in full compliance with all federal, state and county laws relating to environmental conditions and hazardous and toxic materials, and (B) to indemnify the Bank from and against any loss, damage, cost or expense which may be sustained or incurred by the Bank as the result of any violation of such laws by the Borrower, or as the result of any work required to remove any hazardous or toxic materials or to remedy any adverse conditions.
- 8. <u>Due-on-Sale and Secondary Financing</u>. The Borrower will not, without the Bank's prior written consent, obtain any other financing secured by a lien or security interest on any portion of the Mortgaged Property or Collateral. The Borrower will not, without the Bank's prior written consent, sell, convey, assign, transfer or encumber in any way any interest in the Mortgaged Property or Collateral. The Mortgage and Security Agreement shall provide that a breach of either of such covenants shall constitute an event of default and permit the Bank to declare the entire indebtedness owing by the Borrower to the Bank to be immediately due and payable.

- 9. <u>Loan Closing Expenses</u>. Whether or not the Loan is closed, the Borrower shall pay all expenses incurred by the Bank in the issuance of this Loan commitment and the satisfaction of the conditions thereof, including, but not limited to, premiums for the Title Policy, survey costs, property inspection costs, recording fees, taxes, appraisal fees, fees and expenses of legal counsel for the Bank (and each participant in, or purchaser of, the Loan), and any other costs incurred by the Bank in connection with any of the matters provided for in this commitment.
- 10. Accuracy of Information, etc. This commitment is subject to the accuracy as of the date hereof, of all information, data, representations, exhibits, and other material submitted in connection with the Borrower's application.
- 11. Approval of Bank and its Counsel. All documents, agreements, contracts, leases, instruments, certificates, survey maps, Plans and Specifications, appraisals, financial statements, operating statements, reports and opinions required by this commitment must be in form and substance satisfactory to the Bank and its counsel. Any insurance or title insurance policy must be in form and amount satisfactory to the Bank. The Bank reserves the right to review after the acceptance of this commitment all information, documents, Plans and Specifications previously furnished by the Borrower and this commitment is not an indication or agreement that such items have been approved by the Bank or its counsel. If requested by the Bank, the Borrower shall deliver to the Bank on the Closing Date, an opinion of Borrower's independent legal counsel, in form and substance satisfactory to the Bank.

If the above terms and conditions are acceptable, please execute the form of acceptance on the enclosed copy of this letter and return the same to us and all other required documents detailed herein. As stated above, the above terms are for indication purposes only and are subject to formal approval by the Bank.

We hope you will find the above terms favorable and look forward to your reply. However, if you have any questions, please call me at 475-7853.

Sincerely,

FIRST HAWAIIAN BANK

PATRICK B. OLIVA
Assistant Vice President

ACCEPTED BY BORROWER: K. SADHWANI'S, INC.

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K.Sadhwani's Inc.

371 South Marine Dr. Tamuning Guam 96913-3911 Phone 671 649-5948

August 5 2003

HSBC P.O.Box 27-C Hagatna Guam

Dear Mr. Underwood

As you requested a letter from bank indicating that they will loan K. Sadhwani's Inc 3.5 million to Settle my out standing debt with HSBC is enclosed.

I hope this is acceptable to you.

Yours*[*fruly

Alan Sadhwani

Exhibit "N"



11 August 2003

K.Sadhwani's Inc. 371 South Marine Drive Tamuning, Guam 96911

Dear Mr. Sadhwani

I refer to my letter of 15 July 2003.

I am pleased to inform you that on Monday 11th August 2003 your loan was sold to Paradise Marine Corporation. The terms and conditions of your loan remain unchanged, but Paradise Marine Corporation will contact you shortly and let you know where to make your payments.

Yours sincerely

T.C. Underwood Manager Guam

The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited Post Office Box 27-C, Hagatña, Guam 96932 U.S.A. 436 South Marine Drive, Tamuning, Guam 96913 Tel: (671) 647-8588 Fax: (671) 646-3767



CV 1560;08

CIVIL DOCKETING STATEMENT

Plaintiff(s)/Petitioner(s)	Defendant(s)
ALAN SADHWANI, LAJU SADHWANI, and K. SADHWANI'S INC., a Guam corporation	HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, LTD., a foreign corporation, JOHN DOE I through JOHN DOE X
Residential/Mailing Address:	Residential/Mailing Address:
371 South Marine Drive Tamuning, Guam 96913	Post Office Box 27-C Hagåtña, Guam 96932 or 436 South Marine Drive Tamuning, Guam 96911
Attorney(s): (Firm Name, Address and Telephone Number)	Attorney(s): (Firm Name, Address and Telephone Number)
Joaquin C. Arriola Anita P. Arriola ARRIOLA, COWAN & ARRIOLA 259 Martyr Street, Suite 201 Hagåtña, Guam 96910 Telephone: 477-9730/3 Facsimile: 477-9734	
Cause of Action:	
Complain	nt for Damages

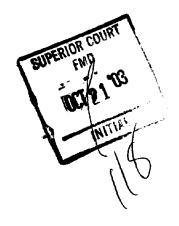
SUPERIOR COURT OF GUAM TIME: 11:05:13 DATE: 10/21/03

CASE NO: CV1560-03

TYPE: CIVIL
CAPTION: ALAN SADHWANI &ETAL VS. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK

TOTAL AMOUNT: 115,00

Reference Number	Reference Date	Description	<u>Rev_acct</u>	Amt_Owed
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Joaquin C. Arriola Anita P. Arriola ARRIOLA, COWAN & ARRIOLA 200 OCT 21 Mt 11: 03 259 Martyr Street, Suite 201 Hagåtña, Guam 96910 Telephone: (671) 477-9730/33 Facsimile: (671) 477-9734 **Counsel for Plaintiffs** IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF GUAM TERRITORY OF GUAM CV 1560,03 ALAN SADHWANI, LAJU CIVIL CASE NO. SADHWANI, and K. SADHWANI'S INC., a Guam corporation, Plaintiffs, HAGATNA, GUAM 96910 **SUMMONS** VS. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, LTD., a foreign corporation, JOHN DOE I through JOHN DOE X, Defendants. TO THE ABOVE-NAMED DEFENDANT: THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI COWAN BANKING CORPORATION, LTD. 436 South Marine Drive, Tamuning ARRIOLA. You are hereby summoned and required to serve upon JOAQUIN C. ARRIOLA, Plaintiffs' attorney, whose address is: ARRIOLA, COWAN & ARRIOLA 259 MARTYR STREET SUITE 201, C&A PROFESSIONAL BLDG. HAGATNA, GUAM 96910 an Answer to the Complaint which is herewith served upon you, within twenty (20) days after service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of service. If you fail to do so, judgment by default will be taken, again 2013 u for the relief demanded in the Complaint. Dated: RICHARD B. MARTINEZ, Clerk Glenric J/Mendiola

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF GUAM

ALAN SADHWANI, LAJU) CIVIL CASE NO. CV1560-03
SADHWANI, and K. SADHWANI'S)
INC., a Guam corporation,)
Plaintiffs	,)
)
vs.)
) AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE
HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI)
BANKING CORPORATION, LTD., a	.)
Foreign corporation, JOHN DOE I)
through JOHN DOE X,)
Defendants	·)
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GUAM U.S.A.,)	
(cc.
CITY OF HAGÅTÑA.	SS:

DANIEL T. MUNA, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That affiant is a citizen of the United States, a specially appointed Process Server, over the age of eighteen (18) years, residing on Guam, and is not a party to the aboveentitled action; that affiant's business address is Post Office Box X, Hagatña, Guam 96932; that on October 21, 2003, affiant served a copy of the Summons, Complaint, Plaintiff's First Set of Interrogatories to Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, Ltd. and First Request for Production of Documents by delivering said documents to Mr. Frederick Granillo, Assistant Vice President, Credit Control, Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, Ltd., to place of business, Eastwest Business Center, Suite 201, Upper Tumon, Guam at approximately 1:15 P.M.

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ARRIOLA, COWAN & ARRIOLA, HAGATNA, GUAM 96910

DANIEL T. MUNA, SP#267-98

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this degree day of October, 2003, by DANIEL T. MUNA.

CYNTHIA T. TONGSON NOTARY PUBLIC

in and for Guam, U.S.A.
My Commission Expires: May 30, 2004
259 Martyr St., Hagatna, Guam 96910

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ALAN SADHWANI, LAJU SADHWANI, and K. SADHWANI'S INC., a Guam Corporation,

Plaintiff(s),

Vs.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, LTD., a Foreign Corporation, John Doe 1 through John Doe X,

Defendant(s).

NOTICE

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TO: Arriola, Cowan & Arriola

As directed by the Presiding Judge, pursuant to 7 GCA Guam Code Annotated, Section 4103, (as amended by Public Law 24-139), the entitled case is assigned to **THE**

HONORABLE STEVEN S. UNPINGCO.

OCT 28 2003

Richard B. Martinez O'Acting Clerk of Court

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Attorneys for Defendant The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Ltd.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF GUAM

ALAN SADHWANI, LAJU SADHWANI'S INC., a Guam corporation,) CIVIL CASE NO. CV1560-03)
Plaintiffs,	NOTICE TO ADVERSE PARTIES OF REMOVAL OF
v.) ACTION TO DISTRICT) COURT PURSUANT TO
HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI) 28 U.S.C. §§ 1441(b), 1446(d)
BANKING CORPORATION, LTD., et al.,) (DIVERSITY JURISDICTION
Defendants.) _)

TO THE CLERK OF THE ABOVE ENTITLED COURT AND TO ALL PARTIES AND THEIR COUNSEL OF RECORD:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Defendant The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited ("HSBC") filed a Notice of Removal of Action Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1332 and 48 U.S.C. § 1424 (Diversity Jurisdiction) to the District Court of Guam, Civil Case No. 03-00036.

A copy of said Notice of Removal is attached to this Notice and is served and





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filed herewith. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1446(d), the Superior Court of Guam shall proceed no further in this matter unless and until this case is remanded from the District Court of Guam.

Respectfully submitted this 5 day of November, 2003.

LAW OFFICES OF BRONZE & TANG Attorneys for Defendant The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Ltd.

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DISTRICT COURT OF GUAM

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF GUAM

ALAN SADHWANI, LAJU SADHWANI, and K. SADHWANI'S INC., a Guam corporation,) CIVIL CASE NO. CV 03-000 3 6
Plaintiffs, v. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, LTD., et al.,	NOTICE OF REMOVAL OF ACTION PURSUANT TO 28 U.S.C. § 1332 AND 48 U.S.C. § 1424 (DIVERSITY JURISDICTION)
Defendants) .))

TO THE CLERK OF THE ABOVE ENTITLED COURT:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Defendant The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited ("HSBC") hereby removes this action from the Superior Court of Guam to the United States District Court for the Territory of Guam, based on Federal diversity jurisdiction pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1332 and 48 U.S.C. § 1424, as more fully discussed below:

1. On October 21, 2003, Plaintiffs filed a Complaint for Damages

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("Complaint") in the Superior Court of Guam in Civil Action No. CV1560-03;

- 2. There is complete diversity between Plaintiffs and HSBC in this action because Alan Sadhwani and Laju Sadhwani are individuals that are residents of Guam and K. Sadhwani's Inc. is a citizen of Guam incorporated under the laws of Guam with its principal place of business in Guam, all as alleged in the Complaint, and, further, HSBC is a foreign corporation licensed to do business in Guam incorporated under the laws of Hongkong, a Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China, with its principal place of business in Hongkong;
- 3. The Defendants identified as "John Does" I thru X in the Complaint are merely fictitious parties against whom no cause of action can be validly alleged. All of Plaintiffs' allegations against John Doe Defendants are merely a sham. To the best of HSBC's information and belief, no fictitiously represented Defendant has been served with process, and these fictitious parties may be ignored for purposes of determining removal, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1441(a);
- 4. More than \$75,000, exclusive of interest and costs, is in controversy in this action;
- 5. This Court would have original subject matter jurisdiction of this action

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under the provisions of 28 U.S.C. § 1332 if the action had originally been brought in Federal court. Removal is, therefore, proper under 28 U.S.C. § 1441(a);

Removal of this case on the basis of diversity of citizenship is not

precluded by the provisions of 28 U.S.C. § 1441(b) because none of the

parties in interest properly joined and served as a Defendant is a citizen

of the Territory of Guam, the Territory in which this action was brought;

7. This Notice of Removal is timely under 28 U.S.C. § 1446(b) because the

Summons and Complaint in this action were filed in the Superior Court

of Guam and served on HSBC on October 21, 2003. This Notice of

removal is filed within 30 days of receipt of the Summons and Complaint

and within one year of the commencement of the action, so that it is

timely filed under 28 U.S.C. § 1446(b); and

8. True and correct copies of all papers served upon HSBC at the time of

removal, consisting of the Summons, Complaint, First Set of

Interrogatories, and First Request for Production of Documents are

attached hereto as Exhibits "A", "B", "C", and "D", respectively.

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Accordingly, HSBC has concurrently filed a motion with this Court, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1447(b), for a writ of certiorari to the Superior Court of Guam directing the Superior Court of Guam to bring all records and proceedings in the action to this Court.

Respectfully submitted this _5th day of November, 2003.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF GUAM

ALAN SADHWANI, LAJU SADHWANI, and K. SADHWANI'S INC., a Guam corporation,) CIVIL CASE NO. 03-00036)
Plaintiffs, v.)) WRIT OF CERTIORARI TO) SUPERIOR COURT OF GUAM
HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, LTD., et al.,)))
Defendants.)

TO THE JUDGES OF THE SUPERIOR COURT OF GUAM, GREETINGS:

WHEREAS, the above-entitled action was duly removed to this Court by Defendant The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited on November 5, 2003, and,

WHEREAS, by an Order of this Court duly made in the above-entitled action on February 5, 2004, that a writ of certiorari should issue to you, you are, therefore,

COMMANDED TO BRING to the District Court of Guam true, full, and



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complete copies of the records and proceedings taken and had in the above-entitled action in the Superior Court of Guam, within 21 days following service, together with this writ, so that this Court may proceed further thereon and do what of right ought to be done.

Dated this day of February, 2004.

MARY L. M. MORAN

Clerk, District Court Of Guam

RAP/nsh

Rence M. Martinez Deputy Clerk

I hereby certify that the annexed instrument is a true copy of the original on file in my office.

ATTEST: CLERK OF COURT District Court of Guam

Territory of Guam

Deputy Clerk